

## FORTUNE WILL SMILE ON THE TRUCKERS

Prospects for Tillers of Soil Were  
Never Better Than Now.

### CROPS EXCEPTIONALLY FINE

The Most Prolific Yield of All Vegetables Ever Known in the County. Weather and Other Conditions Have Been Favorable.

"Never in the history of Alachua county have the prospects been better for the trucking interest as now," remarked a prominent party who is in a position to know what he is talking about, and who spoke intelligently, Monday.

The party stated that, while all trucking crops throughout the county were flourishing, that section traversed by the Gainesville and Gulf railroad between Gainesville and Fairfield seemed the most favored. This is probably the most fertile land adapted to all classes of vegetation in the State, and the man who owns a tract in this belt is indeed fortunate. The crop now in the ground, which is yielding handsomely, is diversified. There are the finest peas ever grown in the county, snap beans, lettuce, cabbage, okra—and in fact everything imaginable in vegetables. Heavy movements of peas and other vegetables are now being made, the Gainesville and Gulf moving solid carloads daily. In order to move the crop to advantage and place the products in the Northern and Eastern markets with dispatch, so that they may bring fancy prices, the road has inaugurated a special twice-a-week service from Fairfield and intermediate points. The first special train was operated Monday, and until further notice the service will be continued on Mondays and Thursdays. The probability is that it may be made a daily service after the present week. This will be done should the traffic demand a more frequent movement of trains.

As was stated in The Sun of Saturday, three solid carloads of peas and lettuce were picked up by the Gainesville and Gulf Friday. Two of these cars were delivered to the Seaboard at this point, while the third was routed via Sampson City and the Georgia Southern and Florida.

### THE NEW LIBRARY.

Twentieth Century Club Will Open a Library in Miller Law Exchange.

The Twentieth Century Club, composed of fifty ladies of the city, will open today a library in the Miller Law Exchange. This association, which has for its object the literary advancement of the people of the city, has secured already nearly two hundred volumes of interesting books, donations from various sources. While it will be necessary at present to make a nominal charge for membership, the club hopes to soon transform the enterprise into a free library and reading room, and are working to that end. The ladies are very grateful to those who have so generously assisted them, and requested The Sun to thank the gentlemen who so magnanimously donated the furniture for the library.

The club has decided to place the membership fee at \$2 per annum at the beginning. For the benefit of the winter visitors and those remaining in the city only for a portion of the time, a rate of \$1 for one quarter will be in effect, which will enable holders to enjoy all the advantages and benefits of the library.

Miss Gertrude Cushman has been selected as librarian. The library will be formally opened today.

### A NEWBERRY TRAGEDY.

Thomas Curry Attempted to Kill Woman and Wound Up in Prison.

Deputy Sheriff J. D. Siford of Newberry has arrived in the city with Thomas Curry, a colored man whom it is alleged endeavored to kill a woman near that place Friday night by knocking her in the head with a frying pan. This seems a favorite method in that section.

Curry was arraigned before Justice Henderson at Newberry upon a charge of assault with intent to murder, and inasmuch as the condition of the woman was serious, he was remanded to jail to await the results.

### To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 30c.

## IN STRICT CONFIDENCE.

Women Obtain Mrs. Pinkham's Advice and Help.

She Has Guided Thousands to Health.—How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Mrs. Fred Seydel.



It is a great satisfaction for a woman to feel that she can write to another telling her the most private and confidential details about her illness, and know that her letter will be seen by a woman only, a woman full of sympathy for her sick sisters, and above all, a woman who has had more experience in treating female ills than any living person.

Over one hundred thousand cases of female diseases come before Mrs. Pinkham every year, some personally, others by mail, and this has been going on for twenty years, day after day.

Surely women are wise in seeking advice from a woman of such experience, especially when it is absolutely free. Mrs. Pinkham never violates the confidence of women, and every testimonial letter published is done so with the written consent or request of the writer, in order that other sick women may be benefited as they have been.

Mrs. Fred Seydel, of 412 North 54th Street, West Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Over a year ago I wrote you a letter asking advice, as I had female ills and could not carry a child to maturity. I received your kind letter of instructions and followed your advice. I am not only a well woman in consequence, but have a beautiful baby girl. I wish every suffering woman in the land would write you for advice, as you have done so much for me.

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If you are sick, write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice. It is free and always helpful.

### AN IMPRESSIVE AFFAIR.

LaCrosse Sunday School Will Observe Twenty-Second Year Sunday.

The LaCrosse Baptist Sunday school will be twenty-two years old next Sunday, and the parent of the school, Hon. Henry C. Parker, who is also superintendent, proposes to observe the event, as has been his usual custom each year.

The ceremonies will be held in the LaCrosse Baptist Church, and it is expected that the eighty-five members of the school will respond to the roll call on this important annual occasion. The program will comprise songs, recitations and instrumental music, and as arranged will prove a delightful one. The service will begin promptly at 2:30 o'clock, and will not be concluded until the late afternoon. The program will prove of unusual interest, and those who attend are assured of a pleasant afternoon.

Captain Parker, who was in the city Monday, stated that Rev. Lorenzo Dow Geiger of Apopka, a noted divine and secretary of the Baptist State Convention, had promised to be present and make an address, and in addition to this several other distinguished speakers will be on hand. This, with the recitations of the Sunday school children, the songs and music, will make an extraordinary program.

The LaCrosse Baptist Sabbath school was organized by Captain Parker twenty-two years ago, and with the exception of only two years he has been its superintendent. During all this time, remarkable to say, he has not been absent at a dozen meetings, and his interest now is stronger and greater than ever, growing with the school. When the school was organized it was with merely a handful of pupils. It may surely be termed a missionary work, for the enrollment now numbers eighty-five, and during its period of existence not less than 300 young men and women, members of the school, have been united with the church.

Captain Parker makes a rule to observe the anniversary yearly, and the people anticipate this occasion with a great deal of interest.

### BE COURTEOUS TO ALL WOMEN.

Chicago Professor Says Chivalry Is Dead Among Us.

New York, March 27.—At the first public meeting of the New York Association for Household Research, Chas. R. Henderson, professor of sociology, in the University of Chicago, was the principal speaker. He declared that nowadays only "ladies" are treated with chivalry.

"Why is it," asked the professor, "that chivalry is dead among us? It is because the youth were taught to be courteous only to ladies and not to all women. The man who is courteous to ladies only, and not to the girls in the streets is only half civilized. He is a gentleman only because it suits his pleasure to be courteous. But until men treat the poor working girl with as much respect and courtesy as they do their friends in the ball room, we will have no real gentlemen."

"The relation of the household worker is closer to her employer than that of any other class of employee. For the woman who works in the house is in a way a member of the family, and while she is engaged for a definite sum to do certain work, yet there is a moral side to the relation that makes it more than just an industrial problem. It is a contract between human beings. The wage-earner sells her service, sells her intelligence and physiological sense, and this is what makes this particular phase of the industrial problem so difficult, for there are some things that cannot be bought under the wage system."

### The Colonel's Waterloo.

Col. John M. Fuller of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo from liver and kidney trouble. In a recent letter he says: "I was nearly dead of these complaints, and although I tried my family doctor he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure dyspepsia, biliousness and kidney disease by all druggists, at 50c a bottle.

### Thugs Broke Man's Back.

Salem, Ore., March 27.—Norman Davenport, whose home is in New York city, was set upon by two men while walking along one of the principal streets and while one pointed a revolver at him the other threw him to the ground with terrific force by placing his knee in the small of Davenport's back and his arm around his neck. The robbers secured \$480 and escaped. At the hospital it is thought that Davenport's back is broken. He is paralyzed from the hips down.

### Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for constipation and biliousness." 25c at druggists.

### Sister Shot by Small Brother.

New Orleans, March 27.—Four-year-old Theophile Serpas, a Terre Bone, La., youth, picked up his father's revolver and began to play with it. The gun was discharged and the contents went through the arm of his 1-year-old sister, who was playing nearby. A doctor amputated the arm of the little victim who apparently will survive the shock.

### If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

### Then He Did Walk.

Little Brother—Can't you walk straight, Mr. Mangle? Mr. Mangle—Of course I can, my little man. Why do you ask? Little Brother—Oh, nothing, only I heard sister say she'd soon straighten you up when she married you. And ma said she'd help her.

### Woman.

Woman has been defined as "an essay on goodness and grace in one volume, elegantly bound." But she doesn't like to be put on the shelf all the same.

Relations are the cause of most of the friction that takes place in social life.—A. C. Howden.

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of Spring and Summer, when the blood is reacting and making extra efforts to expel all morbid and poisonous matter, they make their appearance. External remedies cannot cure; they soothe and give temporary relief, but often clog the pores and glands, and the poison causing the trouble is thus shut up in the system to break out afresh later on. S. S. S., a purely vegetable blood remedy, cures all skin diseases by going down into the circulation, driving out all poisons and waste matters, strengthening the blood, leaving the skin soft and smooth, and building up the entire system by its tonic effect. S. S. S. cures Nettle Rash, Poison Oak and all skin diseases that enter the system through the pores and glands, as well as those that have their origin in the blood. Book on Skin Diseases and any advice wished, without charge.

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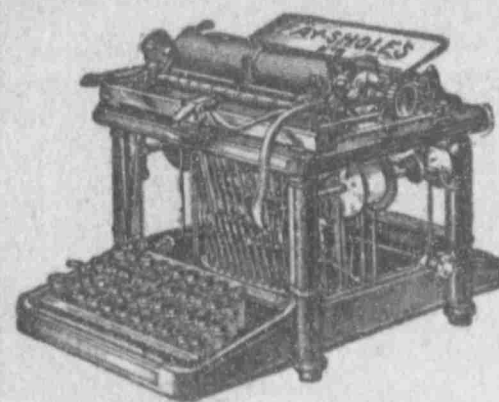
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